

Applicants: Kurt R. Linberg
Serial No. 10/091,637
Page 3 of 7

IN THE CLAIMS:

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1-20. Cancelled

21. *(Currently Amended)* A wireless communications system, comprising:
a remote web-based data center; ~~and~~
an implantable medical device programmer in wireless, bi-directional communication with the remote web-based data center ~~over a network connection comprising a communications protocol that emulates a client/server model such that commands entered on the programmer are executed as if entered directly on the remote data center and~~ including wherein the programmer includes dedicated software to access the remote data center; and
a network connection comprising a communications protocol that emulates a client/server model wherein commands entered on the programmer are executed as if entered directly on the remote data center.

22. *(Previously Presented)* The system of claim 21 wherein the remote data center includes a database of clinical data and wherein the programmer delivers various clinical data to the remote data center in management of the database.

23. *(Previously Presented)* The system of claim 21 wherein the remote data center includes a set of executable commands delivered to the programmer in performance of maintenance including delivery of software upgrades.

Applicants: Kurt R. Linberg
Serial No. 10/091,637
Page 4 of 7

24. *(Original)* The system of claim 22 wherein the database includes usage logs, patient data, error logs, and performance parameter information.

25. *(Original)* The system of claim 24 wherein the usage logs include clock/timer data relating to the number of connections between the programmer and an implantable medical device.